

SPORT NEWS IN GENERAL

CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINALS BEING PLAYED

Stevens and Booker and Finch and Lovejoy are Contesting.

Murphy, Schlosser, Birdzell and Whitcomb Beaten Yesterday.

The semi-finals in the championship tournament of the local golf club are under way this afternoon, Jay Stevens contesting with G. M. Booker and H. B. Finch playing against E. Lovejoy. These four players came through the second round yesterday and the matches today are attracting a good deal of attention.

RIFLE CLUB WILL SHOOT FOR MEDAL AND TITLE SUNDAY

The Grand Forks Rifle club will hold its membership shoot tomorrow on the range for the National Rifle association medal and the championship of the club. This is the big contest of the season and from the scores made during the season it is expected that the competition will be keen.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. New York 2 13 1 St. Louis 0 5 14 0 Cullup, Love, Morgridge and Waiters; Wellman and Severid.

Boston, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. Boston 1 4 1 Detroit 2 9 2 Shore, Leonard and Cady, Thomas; Daus and Spencer, Baker.

Washington, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. Washington 5 12 0 Chicago 0 2 19 0 Harper, Shaw and Henry; Williams, Wolfstang and Schalk.

THE EDITOR'S PLIGHT

If an editor ever accidentally got into one of those fashionable summer resorts where the inmates dress three times a day, his other necktie would do all right for the second time, but the third time he'd have to appear in his pajamas.

THE DRAW

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes Stevens (5-3), Hagen, Murphy (1 up, 19 holes), Bacon, Schlosser (2-1), C. C. Finch, Griffin, Booker (1 up), Booker (2 up), H. B. Finch, Fletcher (5-4), Birdzell (5-4), Vanderhoef, Fingerson, Whitcomb, Lovejoy (2-1), Lovejoy (default), Hewitt.

Booker 1 up

Booker 2 up

Finch 5-4

Finch 2-1

Lovejoy 2-1

Lovejoy default

Sooners Hunting Ducks in District Around Barnesville (Herald Special Service.) Moorhead, Minn., Aug. 26.—Sooners are hunting ducks in the famous

Manston slough district, between Barnesville and Wolverton, Minn., and game officials have been notified of their activities. Reports from the district say that the sooners are getting big bags of game, for the ducks are unusually plentiful this season. Herald Want Ads Bring Results.

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BIG SURPRISE IN THE CLOSE AT CLEVELAND

Outsider Wins 2:06 Trot Over Joan, Favorite, in Grand Circuit.

No Features in Great Western—Circuit Opens up at Des Moines.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 25.—The closing day of the Grand Circuit racing meet at North Randall yesterday furnished one of the biggest surprises of the meeting when Billy Durfee placed Esperanza, a rank outsider, first in the summary in the 2:16 trot, winning the third and fourth heats after Joan, the favorite, had taken the opening mile and Director Todd the second.

Allie Watts, slight favorite over Binville, in the first section of the 2:13 trot, disposed of her field in straight heats, while in the second division Pittsburgh was victorious. Although Pittsburgh made a bad break in the final mile which was won by Ben McGregor, he proved himself the class of the field as long as he stayed on a trot, and won first money by taking the two opening heats.

Stallion Stakes, 3 Year Old Pacing, Value \$1,745: Peter Lock (Trayner) 1 1 Edward P. (McDonald) 2 2 Miss Jennie Castle (Nuckolls) 2 2 Time 2:12 1/2

Free For All Pace, \$1,200: Napoleon Direct (Geers) 1 1 Hal Boy (McMahon) 2 3 2 Single G (Cox) 3 2 2 Time 2:01 3/4; 2:04 3/4; 2:00 1-2.

2:06 Class Trotting, \$1,200: Esperanza (Durfee) 3 1 1 Director Tod (Cox) 2 1 2 2 Jean (McDevitt) 1 4 3 Other starters: Mirthful and Grand Chimes. Time 2:08 1-4; 2:07 3-4; 2:08 1-4; 2:10

2:13 Class Trotting, \$1,200 (First Division): Allie Watts (Edman) 1 1 1 Binville (Zipping) 2 2 3 Gum Drop (Whitehead) 3 3 2 Other starters: Vance, Jeannette, Speed, Zornet, Tommy DeForest. Time 2:08 1-4; 2:08 3-4; 2:08 1-4

2:13 Class Trotting, \$1,200 (Second Division): Pittsburgh (Murphy) 1 1 5 Ben Gregor (Whitehead) 5 2 1 Foll (Carrison) 3 3 2 Other starters: Baby Doll, F. A. L., The Toddler. Time 2:08 3-4; 2:07 3-4; 2:09 3-4.

Great Western. Omaha, Neb., Aug. 26.—May Harriman, first in three straight heats won the feature in yesterday's racing of the Great Western circuit. Summary: Three year old trotting, Byrne Hammer purse \$500. Matilda Len divided first money; Worthy Simon, third. Best time 2:24 1-4. Two year old trot, purse \$400. Louis DeLoes, first; Marley Todd, second; Alclalo, third. Best time 2:19 1-2.

Iowa-Neb.—S. Oak. Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 26.—Close finishes featured the opening races of the Iowa-Nebraska-South Dakota circuit trotting meet here yesterday. The program was curtailed because of the non-arrival of many horses and horsemen from the Omaha races early in the week. Races summary: Two year old pace, purse \$300. Light Matilda Len divided first money; Worthy Simon, third. Best time 2:24 1-4. Two year old trot, purse \$400. Louis DeLoes, first; Marley Todd, second; Alclalo, third. Best time 2:19 1-2.

Johnston and C. J. Griffin Went Into Semi-finals Event

Southampton, N. Y., Aug. 26.—William M. Johnston and Clarence J. Griffin, Pacific coast and national doubles champions, with R. Norris Williams II and Richard Harte, the Harvard pair, won places in the semi-final round of doubles of the Meadowbrook tennis tournament here yesterday.

The California pair made a slow start against Watson M. Washburn and L. E. Mahan, who made a sweep of the first set with their drives straight through court. Johnston and Griffin made a target of Mahan in the second and third sets. He slumped into a habit of sending returns into the net and the champions pegged away at him with profitable results. The score was 1-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Williams and Harte likewise made a late recovery of form, after losing the first set, but defeated Theodore R. Pell and Joseph J. Armstrong at 7-9, 6-1, 6-1.

Harte was the whole team on his side. His smashing was of a spectacular California order and he rarely missed.

TOO MUCH WATCHFUL WAITING. Mother (to battered son)—Willie, how often have I told you to stop before fighting and count up to a hundred.

Battered Son—That's what I did, but Charlie Jones' mother only told him to count ten.

DAUBERT BACK IN THE LEAD OF AMERICAN

Cobb is Still Gaining on Speaker in the National League.

Clemons is Leading Association Hitters, But in few Games.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Jake Daubert, though kept out of the game by "charley horse" for several days, has regained the lead among National League batters and Hornsby, the St. Louis sensation, is in second place, according to averages published here today including games of last Wednesday. Carey, Pittsburgh, still is in front among base stealers, with 42 thefts to his credit. Chicago leads in sacrifice hits with 32; Williams, Chicago, in home runs with 10; Hornsby and Wheat, Brooklyn, are tied for the lead in total bases with 188 each, and Burns, New York, is in front in runs scored with 71. Brooklyn leads in club batting with .261. Leading batters who have played half the games of the season are: Daubert, Brooklyn, .325; Hornsby, St. Louis, .321; Wagner, Pittsburgh, .319; Robertson, New York, .317; Chase, Cincinnati, .313; Wheat, Brooklyn, .306; Hinchman, Pittsburgh, .298; Long, St. Louis, .298; Zimmerman, Chicago, .296; Stock, Philadelphia, .288.

Leading pitchers for twenty games: Earned Runs Per Game. Hughes, Boston 13 3 2.35 Marquard, Brooklyn 8 3 1.74 Rixey, Philadelphia 15 6 2.06 Alexander, Phila. 22 9 1.41 Steyer, Brooklyn 19 2 2.08 Cheney, Brooklyn 14 6 1.59 Rudolph, Boston 13 7 2.31 Marnaux, Pittsburgh 13 9 2.33 Doak, St. Louis 12 8 2.78

In the American League, Cobb gained on Speaker in the chase for the lead in total bases, taking 47 to 46. Pipp, New York, took the home run lead away from Baker, with his ninth homer. Weaver, Chicago, and Chapman, Cleveland, tied for the lead in sacrifice hits with 32 each. Jackson is ahead in total bases with 232. Cobb in runs scored with 86 and Detroit in team hitting with 450. Leading batters: Speaker, Cleveland, .386; Cobb, Detroit, .363; Jackson, Chicago, .350; Gardner, Boston, .311; Roth, Cleveland, .310; Struss, Philadelphia, .305; Sisler, St. Louis, .301; Felsch, Chicago, .298; Burns, Detroit, .293; Shotton, St. Louis, .292.

Leading pitchers for twenty games: Earned Runs Per Game. Clemens, St. Paul 11 1 1.68 Cullup, New York 12 1 1.68 Morton, Cleveland 12 5 2.51 Stone, Boston 12 1 1.25 Boland, Detroit 7 3 2.42 H. Covelleskie, Detroit 13 5 1.83 Faber, Chicago 11 5 2.15 Ruth, Boston 12 1 1.25 Shawkey, New York 16 10 2.06 Knob, St. Louis 8 4 1.99 Cicotte, Chicago 10 6 2.37 Mayo, Boston 13 8 2.84

Clemons, St. Paul, leads in the American association though he has played little more than half the games. Thorpe, St. Paul, is in the lead in stolen bases, with 43; Bradley, Columbus, and Holland, Minneapolis, in sacrifice hits with 28 each; Demmitt, Columbus, in home runs with 11 and in bases with 210; Evans, Toledo, in runs scored with 79, and Kansas City in club batting with 273. Leading batters: Clemens, St. Paul, .387; Becker, Kansas City, .385; Beall, Milwaukee, .328; Chappelle, Columbus, .322; Hargrave, Kansas City, .318; Lewis, Kansas City, .313; Deal, Kansas City, .309; Lelivell, Kansas City, .305; Demmitt, Columbus, .300; Evans, Toledo, .299.

Leading pitchers for 19 games: W. L. Earned Runs Per Game. Middleton, Louisville 18 4 1.84 Regan, Kansas City 19 7 1.80 Carter, Minneapolis 15 4 1.69 Pierce, Toledo 12 1 1.25 Yingling, Minneapolis 20 9 2.45 Lelivell, St. Paul 17 9 2.57 Pinneran, St. Paul 11 6 3.38 Miller, Kansas City 17 10 3.35 Burk, Minneapolis 17 12 3.38 Dawson, Minneapolis 15 11 2.96

Butcher, Denver, is still in front in the Western League. Shilds, Denver, leads in stolen bases with 32; Krug, Omaha, and Litschi, Wichita, in sacrifice hits with 32 each; Dyer, Denver, in home runs with 13; Butcher, in total bases with 223; Miller, Omaha, and Carlisle, Lincoln, in runs scored, with 92 each, and Denver in team hitting with 323. Leading batters including Tuesday's games: Butcher, Denver, .350; Johnson, Lincoln, .339; Gilmore, Sioux City, .338; Miller, Omaha, .335; Oakes, Denver, .330; Krueger, Omaha, .326; Livingston, Sioux City, .325; Gray, Wichita, .323; Connolly, Sioux City, .319; Watson, Sioux City, .313.

Leading pitchers for 19 games: Won. Lost. O'Toole, Omaha 13 4 1.84 North, Omaha 12 4 1.84 Halla, Lincoln 10 2 2.00 Gaspard, Sioux City 10 5 2.00 Thompson, Omaha 15 9 2.00 East, Lincoln 13 11 2.10 Gardner, Lincoln 12 10 2.10 Ford, Denver 10 7 2.10 Baker, Des Moines 15 11 2.10

AMERICAN ASS'N.

St. Paul 5 6 2 Kansas City 4 4 2 Nienhaus and Clemons; Sanders, Cochrane, Crutcher and Berry.

R. H. E. Columbus 2 6 1 Louisville 2 1 0 Palmero, Luque and Williams, Wendell.

R. H. E. Indianapolis 3 1 0 Toledo 1 6 0 Seaton and Sohans; Pierce and Sweeney.

The Minneapolis-Milwaukee game was postponed on account of rain.

MILWAUKEE MAN WINS HANDICAP

John Wulf Takes Feature Event of the Grand American Tourney.

St. Louis, Aug. 26.—John F. Wulf of Milwaukee, Wis., won the feature event of the Seventeenth Grand American Trap Shooting tournament yesterday afternoon when he won the grand American handicap from nineteen yards with a score of 99. The event was not completed until dark. No official list of shots was given out last night, the counters declaring it would take at least eight hours to compile the scores of the 615 shooters who were entered.

The professional championship of the world was won by Phil Miller of Dallas, Tex. He and Homer Clark of Alton, Ill., tied at 97, and on the shoot-off Miller broke 25 straight to 24 for Clark.

The women's championship was won by Mrs. C. B. Dalton of Warsaw, Ind., over Mrs. Henry L. Potter of Madison, Wis. The score was 23 to 20. Mrs. Dalton with Mrs. Frank Johnson of Philadelphia, representing the east, won over Mrs. Potter and Mrs. L. Hooper of Chicago, representing the west, 43 to 40.

Unofficial scores of leaders in the grand American handicap included the following: John F. Wulf, Milwaukee, Wis., 19 yards, 99. Eli Males, Jewell, Ia., 16 yards, 98. H. H. Daley, Carlinville, Ill., 16 yards, 97. C. A. Atkinson, Creighton, Mo., 17 yards, 97. D. C. Rogers, Logansport, Ind., 19 yards, 96. C. L. Waggoner, Diller, Neb., 16 yards, 96. M. Smith, Oklahoma City, Okla., 16 yards, 96. J. E. Chatfield, Texarkana, Ark., 18 yards, 96. J. E. Erwin, Greensboro, Ala., 18 yards, 96.

TRAFFORD JAYNE AND STELLWAGEN WIN THE MINNESOTA DOUBLES

Minneapolis, Aug. 26.—Trafford Jayne and Seiford Stellwagen of Minneapolis defeated C. G. Krause of Minneapolis, and S. Kinyon of Owatonna in the double finals of the Minnesota state tennis tournament here yesterday, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

In the consolation final, Lauren Kennedy of Duluth won from Henry Norton of Minneapolis, 6-3, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Rain stopped the play in the single finals after G. R. Albright of St. Paul had won the first set from John Adams of Minneapolis, 6-2. This match will be concluded this afternoon.

Finals in Wisconsin State Singles Will be Played During Day

Milwaukee, Aug. 26.—A. E. Weller of Milwaukee became a contender for the Wisconsin state tennis championship late yesterday on the town club courts by defeating Glenway Maxon, Jr., in a bitterly fought contest, 5-7, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2. Weller will oppose H. T. Byford of Chicago, present title holder, in the finals today.

In the doubles event paired with Thornton Green of Ontonagon, Mich., easily disposed of Louis Seefeld and H. H. Effler, 6-3, 6-1, 6-4. They will meet Weller and Maxon in the finals by virtue of the latter's victory over W. H. Futterer of Chicago, and John Wahl of Milwaukee, 6-2, 5-7, 8-6, 6-4.

Miss Alice Miller of Milwaukee advanced to the semi-finals of the women's state singles championship by defeating Miss Evelyn Seamy of Kansas City in three long sets, taking the first 6-0, losing the next, a deuce set, 6-7 and winning the third which went eighteen innings, 10-8.

Miss Carrie E. Neely of Chicago, state champion, was advanced to the semi-finals by default and Mrs. W. A. Ellis of Chicago defeated Mrs. W. T. Miller of Chicago, 6-1, 6-7, 6-2.

The man who makes it a practice to buy Straw Hats Common on the bottom and hold it for a rise in the spring is now carrying a terrible load on a slumping market.

Excursion Fares

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Found: A Great Wonder. This unknown, petrified man was found 18 years ago by Thomas Dunbar, a hunter and trapper, on the upper banks of the Missouri River, in Montana, on a sand bar, with the body fully half exposed. The ankle and large toe were broken when the body was pulled out of the wet sand by means of a lariat rope around the ankle and attached to the horn of a saddle. The body was buried for a year and a half by the finder until he could raise funds to secure a team and wagon. He then took the petrified man, after being examined and permission given by the Government officials in Yellowstone National Park, and placed him on exhibition at the Upper Geyser Basin, where he was seen by thousands of tourists from all parts of the world. The identity of this petrified man has been fully demonstrated by physicians and scientists by microscopic examinations. The supposition is that he came to his death at the hands of the Indians who gave him a death wound on the left side of the forehead, contracting the muscles in his cheek, hand and leg on opposite side. He looks as if alive but is all stone. His hair, moustache, finger nails and teeth are as perfect as yours. Pronounced by the Butte Internment as the historical wonder of the age. By Drs. Sheeran and Vickers of Livingston, Montana, as the marvel of the century. Now on exhibition next to McGrath Pharmacy.

SETS NEW RECORD.

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Miss "Babe" Wright, a San Francisco girl, yesterday swam across the Golden Gate in thirty-one minutes 35 1/2 seconds, setting an official Pacific Athletic association record for women for the event.

The best previous record for the event was made by Miss Nell Schmidt, of Alameda, who made it in 44:11.1 several years ago.

Y.M.C.A. TO OPEN WORK OCTOBER 1

Physical Department Planning to Start Classes at That Time.

Physical Director C. C. Carpenter of the Y. M. C. A., stated today that he expected that the work in his department would open up for the year about the first of October or the latter part of September. It is probable that the athletic activities will be well under way before that time, but there will be no systematic work before the date named, no classes being conducted before then either. Mr. Carpenter stated that several changes were under consideration and also some additional work, but the plans had not been definitely worked out yet and would not be until the physical committee has met again. There was to have been a conference on Thursday evening, but several of the members of the committee were unable to be present and the meeting was postponed until sometime next week. One conference has been held but none of the matters pertaining to changes in the department were taken up.

CLUB STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE. W. L. Pct. Brooklyn 42 42 .500 Boston 42 42 .500 Philadelphia 46 47 .584 Pittsburgh 54 57 .486 St. Louis 52 59 .464 Chicago 52 65 .444 Cincinnati 44 75 .370

Games Yesterday. Boston 1, Chicago 0. Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 2. New York 6, Pittsburgh 2. Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. W. L. Pct. Boston 70 48 .593 Chicago 76 56 .541 Detroit 66 56 .541 St. Louis 65 56 .541 New York 64 55 .538 Cleveland 65 60 .520 Washington 57 60 .487 Philadelphia 25 91 .215

Games Yesterday. Chicago 2, Washington 5. St. Louis 4, New York 2. Detroit 3, Boston 2. Cleveland 13-10, Philadelphia 9-2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. W. L. Pct. Louisville 72 53 .576 Kansas City 71 54 .568 Indianapolis 71 52 .568 St. Paul 63 59 .516 Toledo 62 60 .508 Minneapolis 63 63 .500 Columbus 59 61 .413 Milwaukee 43 81 .347

Games Yesterday. Kansas City 4, St. Paul 6. Toledo 1, Indianapolis 2. Louisville 0, Columbus 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. Chicago 0 3 0 Boston 1 5 0 Prendergast, McConnell and Archer; Rudolph and Blackburn.

Cincinnati, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. Cincinnati 2 11 2 Brooklyn 3 10 0 Mitchell and Wingo; Cheney and Miller.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. Pittsburgh 2 11 2 New York 4 12 2 Philadelphia 5 12 5 Harmon and Schmidt; Saltee, Teareau and Rariden. (11 inning game.)

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—R. H. E. St. Louis 4 14 2 Philadelphia 5 12 5 Columbus 6 11 413 Demaree and Burns. (11 inning game.)

In addition to the 700,000 soldiers of Great Britain, France and Serbia, already on the Balkan front, brigades of Russian and Italian troops are now arriving. These tremendous preparations forecast a long war in the Balkans.

MRS. LETTS IS NEW CHAMPION

Took Western Golf Title in Finals on Yesterday Afternoon.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 26.—Mrs. Fred Letts, Jr., of Cincinnati, is the new champion of the Women's Western Golf association. She defeated Miss Laurie Kaiser of Flossmoor, Chicago, 3 up and 1 to play in the final round of the championship tournament on the links of the Kent Country club here yesterday.

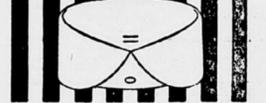
Playing with an accuracy she had displayed in no other match this week, Mrs. Letts made a record for the first nine holes, going out in 44, seven strokes under par. Miss Kaiser lived up to her reputation of being one of the best wielders of wood clubs in the women's western association, but her work on the greens and short approaches was unsteady. Mrs. Letts, on the other hand, played a deadly short game. She took the lead on the first hole and never lost it. In the finals of the Kent trophy match Mrs. J. H. Lindsey of Detroit defeated Miss Carrie Hubert of South Shore, Chicago, 3 and 1. Miss Ruth Dugan of Calumet, Chicago, defeated Miss Kate Holt of Kent, Grand Rapids, 7 and 6 in the finals for the association trophy.

FINALS TODAY.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 26.—Ralph Burdick of Chicago and Jack Cannon of Kansas City will contest for the singles title of the Missouri Valley. Both won semi-final matches. Cannon defeated Lockhorn of Kansas City, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4. Burdick disposed of C. F. Holcomb, Kansas City, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4. Burdick and Walter Harte, western doubles champions, won their third round match over Kenneth Uphs and R. A. Wester, Kansas City.

PURCHASE WAITERS.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—The Chicago National yesterday bought Outfielder Harry Walters of the Los Angeles Pacific coast league team. The deal was closed by President John Powers of the Los Angeles club and President Weeghman of the Cubs.



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